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GRASS & SMALL BRANCH COLLECTION

Republic Services will collect all **grass clippings and small branches** with your trash on **Thursday**. Please place all grass clippings and branches in your **blue** container with your regular household waste. Blue containers **MUST** be full prior to using additional bags or cans. Additional grass and branches may be put in either cans or bags (paper or plastic) and placed next to your blue container weighing no more than 50 pounds each. **NO LEAVES** are to be placed in blue containers.

LARGE BRANCH COLLECTION

Any resident in need of large branch collection (**branches too large to be placed in the blue container**) is to place branches at the curb (**see map below for collection day**), **NO BRANCHES WILL BE COLLECTED IN THE ALLEY**. All small branches or twigs should be placed in your blue container for Thursday collection. Large tree removal undertaken by residents may result in a fee. All tree removal contractors must be licensed with the Town and are responsible for the removal/disposal of their debris.

**PLEASE REFER TO NEW MAP BELOW
to determine the day yard waste will be collected in your area**

MONDAY - AREA 1

South of Main Street to
Town Limits

TUESDAY - AREA 2

Main Street to 45th -
West of Cline to
Town Limits

WEDNESDAY - AREA 3

Main Street to Elm Street -
Cline to Colfax

THURSDAY - AREA 4

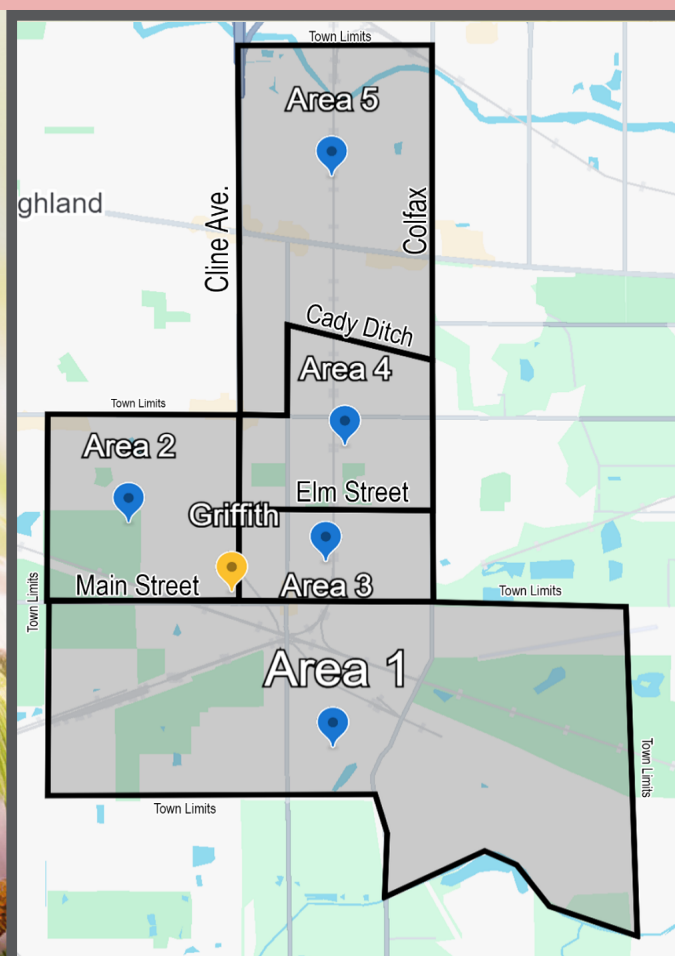
Elm Street to 45th - Cline
Avenue to Colfax

45th to Cady Marsh Ditch -
Broad Street to Colfax

FRIDAY - AREA 5

Cady Marsh Ditch to Town
Limits - Cline to Colfax

Wirth Road & West Haven
Manor Subdivisions -
Broad Street to Cline Avenue



SPRING LEAF VAC COLLECTION

Any Griffith resident wishing to participate in curbside leaf-vacuum collection needs to call the Public Works Department at (219) 924-3838 to request a pickup. **Leaf vacuums will be collecting through May 1st, 2026.**

2026 OBSERVED HOLIDAYS FOR REFUSE COLLECTION

Refuse collection is on Thursdays with the exception of Holiday weeks. There are only **THREE HOLIDAYS** that will affect trash collection this year. They are: **MEMORIAL DAY, LABOR DAY, AND THANKSGIVING DAY** Collection will be on Friday of these weeks. Refuse is to be placed out for collection no earlier than 6:00 p.m. the day prior to collection. Please separate trash from recyclables. **Please place all loose trash in a bag to prevent littering the streets.**

LARGE ITEM DISPOSAL

Republic Services will collect a limited amount of bulk items with regular refuse. One large item per week (furniture, appliances, etc.) will be collected. Please remember that all wood and carpeting must be cut in 4-foot lengths, bundled and weighing no more than 50 pounds. Please call the Department of Public Works prior to Thursday collection at 924-3838 for disposal of electronics, such as, televisions and computers.

SPRING CLEAN UP

Republic Services will hold their annual "Spring Clean Up" on **Thursday, May 21st**. This allows residents to place an unlimited amount of trash out for collection. However, tires, concrete, roofing shingles and hazardous materials will not be accepted. For items containing CFC's please contact Republic Services prior to Monday, May 18th to insure proper disposal. As stated above, all refuse must be contained or bundled weighing no more than 50 pounds. **Republic Services (219) 662-8600**

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION & GRIFFITH SHRED FEST

The Lake County Solid Waste District will hold their Hazardous Waste Disposal program on **Saturday, October 17TH from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.** at the Griffith Public Works Facility, 134 S. Colfax. The Hazardous Waste Schedule for 2026, along with a list of acceptable items can be found on the Town's website: www.griffith.in.gov or call the Lake County Solid Waste District at (219) 853-2420. Shredding will be available to Griffith residents. Each vehicle is limited to 3 bags or boxes. Business shredding will not be allowed.

